

## PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

All Parents and Guardians are expected to govern themselves according to the following code of conduct:

- Parents will respect the coaches, players, opponents, officials and program administrators.
- Parents will never ridicule, embarrass, demean or abuse any player, spectator, official or opponent.
- Parents must respect and support the player/team selection by the coaching staff and the system of play used by the team.
- Parents must remember that their child plays for his or her enjoyment, not theirs.
- Parents will remember that their child learn best by example. They should applaud good play/performance by both their child's team and their opponent.
- Parents will show respect for the opposing team, because without them there would be no game or competition.
- Parents should not have unrealistic expectations. They should remember that child athletes are not miniature professionals and cannot be judged by professional standards.
- Parents will respect the coaches and support them in their team development activities by not engaging in organized coaching or development activities that may contradict the focus, direction, or goals set out for the team by the coaching staff.